Political Conventions.

The New Jersey Democratic Convention as sembled at Trenton yesterday, and unanimous ly nominated General George B. McClellan for Governor. The resolutions denounce a fraud the installation of President Hayes and Vice President Wheeler, congratulate the country that President Hayes adopted the democratic policy of local self-government in the Southern States, and oppose special legislation. The platform expresses sympathy with working men, and demands a radical reduction in all salaries, taxes and costs.

The Republican Convention of Massachusetts met at Worcester yesterday, and nominated Gov. Rice for re election. The resolu io: sadopted congratulate the country on the accession of a republican President, whose integrity, hones ty of purpose, wisdom, moderation and firmness deserve and command the confidence of the people, give assurances of a pure, coonomic cal and beneficial Administration, and encourage the prospect of a speedy restoration of con-fidence and revival of business activity. The resolutions approve of the President's Southern policy, the resumption of specie payments, the maintenance of its coin and currency in the gold standard, the reform of the civil service, and the cessation of subsidies.

PRESIDENT MACMAHON'S MANIFESTO. -In criticising President MacMahon's late manifesto advising the election of supporters of the pondent says: "People look upon President MacMahon's manifesto as only an electoral artifice, designed to frighten timid electors into supporting the official candidates and to encourage functionaries to exert pressure, but, relying upon the honor of the Marshal, are convinced that when France has declared her firm will be will submit and will not enter into an open conflict with the nation or make a coup d'etat. The republican papers, however, treat the manifesto in a very serious tone.'

The Paris La France says: "This is the lan guage of a manifesto of Napoleon, countersigned by Persigny. None of Europe's present constitutional sovereigns have the exhorbitant presumption to impose their will on the people and forbid them to take a different view." The Paris La Temps says: "France is called

mance of her liberty.'

#### COMMERCIAL.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, Sept'r. 20 .- Flour continues firm, with light receipts, and prices are unchanged. Wheat is fairly a tive and firm; receipts were lighter to day, and 1600 bushels sold at 145a152, as to quality, the latter price for choice Laneaster. 916 bushels of Corn were offered to-day; sales were made at 65 and 66. No Rye reported, and a small let of Oats were withdrawn.

BALTIMORE CATTLE MARKET, Sept'r. 19,--Best Beeves 6 1 a 6 37
Generally rated first quality 4 75 a 5 50
Medium or good fair quality 4 O a 4 50
Ordinary thin Steers, Oxen and Cows 3 (O a 4 1) Total receipts for the week 3935 head. Total sales for the week 2914 head.

The market (spreading as it has over two days this week) has been very dull. The Jowish holiday occurring on Monday limited operations on that day, and nocessarily created a duliness, buyers having a large reserve held for the next day. Prices for the week fell off lake on most grades, and large numbers of the best Cattle, as well as good stockers, were taken out of the market for other disposition by the original owners. Quotations 3a\$6 371 per 100 lbs, the latter price for a choice lot of Southern Ohio

Milch Cows-There has been a full supply of common Cows and a limited domand. We quote at 30a\$55 per head, as to quality. Sheep and Lambs-The market for Sheep was dull again this week, there being some slight Ewes. There has been no Eastern demand to note for any kind of stock, and the demand on the part of city butchers has been very slow. Good Sheep have been in limited supply, but a few scattering ones in the flocks, no bunches. Wo quote butcher Sheep at 485c per lb gross. Steck Sheep 2a\$3 25 per head. Lambs 4a51c per lb gross. Receipts this week 6050 head.

Hogs-There has been a fair supply this week and a moderate demand, without any serious variation in prices from those obtained last week. The quality of the Hogs shows some improvement as compared with that of the receipts last week, the run of common Hogs being lighter than it was then. The market closes firm at 71s Se per lb, most of the transactions being effected at or near the latter figure. Receipts this week 8373 head.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 20 -- Virginia 6s, old, 30; deferred 51; consolidated 627; do. 2d series 42. Cotton strong and quiet; middling 114. Flour fairly active, firm and unchanged. Wheat-Southern dull and steady; Western strong and higher; Southern red good to prime 110:153; do. amber 155a160; do white 137; Penna No. 2 winter red spot 150; Sopt 146; Oct 18874139; Nov 137a1374. Corn-Southern steady; Western quiet; Southern white 67a70; do. yellow 63a 61; Western mixed spot 58; Sept 58: Oct 59; Nov (0; stramer 57. Oats quiet and steady; Southern 32a36; Western white 35; do. mixed 32a34. Rye quiet and stea ly at 66a69. Hay steady and unchanged. Coffee quiet; Rio cargoes 167a21; jobbing 17a22. Sugar dull and heavy at 101. Whiskey quiet and firm at \$1.13.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20 .- Stocks firm and advanced. Money 3. Gold 1031 Flour a shade

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, SEPT. 20. Sun rises...... 5 46 | Moon sets...... 3 47 Sun sots..... 6 0 High water..... 0 Ca

Steamer Express, Baltimore, to Broders & Co Schr Armstrong, Boston, to master.

Schr Laura E Messer, Boston, to master Schr Twilight, for Georgetown. SAILED.

Steamer J W Thompson, Leonardtown, by F A. Reed. Steamer Mattano, Nomini, by Jos Broders & Co.

Schr Olive, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., by Hamp & Balt Coal Co Schr New Jersey, Rappahanueck river, by Smoot & Perry.

MEMORANDA. Schrs American Team and Ann S Lockwood, hence, at Beston 18th.

### CANAL COMMERCE.

Arrived--Boats Martin Scally, to Blaen Avon

Coal Co; Benj Miller, to Hamp & Balt Coal the Patapseo river last night. No lives were Co; J Wilson, G E Porter, J Bradburn, James lost, the crew being taken off by a passing Green, H C Flagg and P G Uhler, to American steamer. Departed-Boats R Bender, J W Carder, J W Morris, W Smith, Ida & Harry, J W Rhind

the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, Sep-

A. T. Mills, plaintiff, sgainst A. M. Richardson, Ma garet Richardson, Ella R. Richardson, Edwin Richardson, Charles Cronk, Mason Cronk, Greenberry M. Cronk, Luther Gun-nell, Virginia L. Gunnell and Ann L. Gunnell, defendants. In chancery.
Momo. The object of this suit is to obtain a

decree for the sale or partition of the tract of land of which A. V. Bastow died seized. It appearing by adidavit filed that Mason Cronk, one of the above named defendants, is a non resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he appear within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to

protect his interest. A copy, teste:
F. D. RICHARDSON, Clerk. Thomas Moore, p. q. SELTZER WATER on draft, five cents per known in Silks since the glass, at JANNEY & CO'S. Branch Store, and look at the articles, sp 18-1w

LOCAL MATTERS.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—War Depart ment. Office of the Chie, Signal Officer, Wash ngton, D. C., Sept. 20, 1877-10:30 a. m.-For the Middle States falling barometer, stationary temperature, northeasterly winds, increasing cloudiness and rain.

COLORFD CONSFRVATIVES .-- The colored conservative caucus met last night, pursuant to the call in the Gazette of the 17th. Magnus L. Robinson called the meeting to order and stated that the object was to colist in the cause of the conservative party all honorable men who had at heart the interests of the city of Alexandria and the whole State and to form an of the city broke in two places, and a large cave organization to use all justifiable means to secure is reported at McDonoughville, across the river. to the next House of Delegates, as Alexandria The greatest velocity of the wind was forty miles county's representatives, Messis. Hunter and an hour, which piled the waters of Lake Pont-Mushbach.

The meeting then went into permaneut organization, and Robert B. Hopkins was elected President and Charles W. Brown, Secre-

The executive committee was appointed, with Magnus L. Robinson as chairman. C. W. Brown offered the following, which

was unanimously adopted :-Resolved, That we, the colored conse ative club of Alexandria, do hereby enderse and recommend to the voters of Alexandria city and Mushbach to represent said city and county in the next Hause of Delegates, and that we will carnestly work for the success of the same.

After some routine business was transacted the meeting adjourned until next Wednesday evening at the same time and place.

A SUIT ABOUT GLYMONT .- The Washington Star says:

"Justice J. T. K. Plant decided yesterday the case of Spaides vs. Hay. Spaides, the pro-prietor of Glymont, sued Mr. Ed. Hay for \$25 for rent and \$75 for damages done to the grounds on the occasion of the Columbia College excursion. Mr. Hay was chairman of the committee of arrangements. It was shown by defendant that it was not customary to charge rent for the grounds when liquors were sold on the premises, as was the case in this instance. It was also brought out in the testimony that the proprietor allowed gamblers to operate on the grounds while the excursionists were there. to a new and supreme struggle for the mainte- Judgment was given for defendant,'

BREAKING UP A BAND, -A colored festival Columbus street last night. Bowden's Brass Band (colored) was in attendance, and during the evening a noted colored rough named Wm.

11. Madella, who had formerly been a member of the band, entered the hall, smashed the ketoccurred at the Old Fellow's Hall on south tle drum to atoms, cut one head of the bass drum with a knife and attempted to mash two horns, but was prevented from accomplishing the last feat by Ad. Bowden, the leader of the band. Madella was arrested and locked up in the station house. This morning the Mayor flacd him for disorderly conduct, and ordered him to pay for the damages done the instruments, failing in which he was locked up.

BUILDING ASSOCIATION. - A meeting of those interested in forming the Alexandria Co opera tive Building Association, No. 2, was held on Tuesday night.

Messrs, James H. Reid, S. F. Gregory, C. F. Lee, jr., Henry Hooge and E. Worth Hulfish were appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws for the Association.

Messrs, E. S. Leadbeater and James II Reid were appointed to receive conditional subscriptions, and the meeting adjourned until next

IMPROVEMENTS .-- Very extensive improvements have been made at the Potomae ferry wharf, at the foot of King street. The two waiting rooms have been thrown into one, and that has been handsomely repainted and new curtains and settees put in, making a very comimprovement only in the domand for good stock | fortable room. The yard outside has been paved and a long covered way, furnished with benches, built for the convenience of passengers in warm weather. A large warehouse for the accommo dation of the treight traffic has also been

> SENT UP .- Captain Webster, of the police force, left for Brentsville this morning, having in charge the tramp, George Warzer, whose arrest and committal to jail was mentioned yesterday. Warzer will be tried with the other six tramps, now in jail at Brentsville, for an attack on the pay train of the Virginia Midland Road, on Tuesday night last. Mr. S. C. Neale, counsel for the Company, also went to Brentsville this morning to assist in the prosecution of the raseals, which will be made as vigorous as possible.

FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' SAVINGS BANK. A meeting of the directors of the Farmers' and Mechanies' Savings Bank was held on Tuesday evening last. Notice of suits having been eessary or unknown. And, therefore, to insist served upon the bunk, it was determined to that man is dutinguished from the lower animake an assignment of all the assets of the bank to a trustee for the benefit of its creditors equally. The person to act as trustee has not vet been designated.

l'ERSONAL. - Among the passengers landing from the Scythia, at New York, yesterday morning, was Col. Hilary Jones, of the Han over Academy. The Colonel spent an hour yesterday evening in this city, and left on the Wheat lade botter, Corn quiet and 6 p. m. train for home. He reports the passage very rough, but is bimself in fine health and spirits, and much delighted with his Euro-

> No Speaking. - Quite a number of persons assembled at West End, last night, to hear a promised speech on the political issues of the the House of Delegates from Fairfax county. For some unexplained reason, the speaker failed to appear, and after waiting until about tine o'cleek the crowd dispersed.

> CHURCH NOTES, -- The revival in progress at the Methodist Protestant Church continues to attract large crowds each night. Last night Rev. Mr. Trout, of Baltimore, preached, and will continue to do so, every night this week. Prof. Hahr, of Belle Haven Institute, has

been engaged as organist at St. Paul's Church. STEAMER BURNED. - The steamer Cyrus P. Smith, which formerly ran on the Potomac, was totally destroyed by fire near the mouth of lost, the erew being taken off by a passing

stone of a handsome gothic building, which is to be used as an Episcopal church, was laid at the Corner and to be used as an Episcopal church, was laid at the Corner and to be used as an Episcopal church, was laid at the Corner and the total control of the total the corner and the corner an TIRGINIA, to wit: In the Clerk's office of Hamilton, Loudoun county, yesterday. Rev. Theodore Reed is rector of the congregation

who are constructing the church. Purify and enrich the blood, and you will not be troubled with skin diseases. Dr. Bull's Blood Mix ure is known to be a never failling remedy.

CARPETS, OH. CLOTH AND RUGGS.-First fall opening of an entire new stock in the above articles. The public is respectfully invited to examine our immense variety and beautiful selection of styles and designs at remarkably low prices. Black Silks within the reach of everybody. Just received from the large cycrybody. Just received from the large SAXONIA. BALMORAL and GERMAN and special auction sale of Black Silks in SNITTING YARRS, in all colors.

Sep 2 51 U.M. ADAMS, 92 King st. Philadelphia. Black Silks at 75, 90, \$100 and \$1.25 per yard, the biggest bargain ever NO. 1 MACKEREL, new, at known in Silks since they were first made. Call I. EICHBERG,

The Cyclone.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 19, 1877 .- For the last three days a storm has been blowing here usprecedented in its fury. The domage has also been considerable. The town of Milneburg. on Lake Postehartrain, was four feet under water, and the loss to the railroad and citizens will reach \$50,000. Throughout the city the drainage canals overflowed, and considerable damage was done to trees and frame buildings. The whole of the rear of the city was overflowed, and the losses there to market gardens, orange trees, &c., will reach \$25,000. No damage is reported to the shipping, but in the lake several schooners were lost. The levee in front The greatest velocity of the wind was forty miles chartrain in the rear of the city up against the protection levees, causing the inhabitants along the shore to be in great danger, though as yet no lives are reported lost. Dispatches from Plaquemine parish and up the coast report considerable damage to sugar cane, which has been prostrated. It is also feared that the cotton crop has been considerably injured. A dispatch to this city from the parish of St. John Baptist says :- "Much damage has been done in this neighborhood by the great storm winds which have prevailed since Monday. The sugar buildcounty, for their suffrages, Messrs. Hunter and logs, barns and several residences have been destroyed. The violent wind uprooted trees or broke them as easily as if they were dry reeds. The parish court house and many dwellings were uproofed and the debris carried through the air for immense distances. Nearly every fence has been blown down, and the pecantrees are all destroyed. The cane has suffered much damage. Fortunately there have been no lives lost, but many will bewail the destructive storm. The wind was so fierce that it was dangerous to leave the shelter of the house, as the air was tilled with flying fragments of slate, brick, timber and tree branches. The loss on the vice crop is estimated at thirty per cent, which will bear heavily on planters. The storm has been one of the most severe ever experienced in Southern Louisiana,"

FALSE SELF-RESPECT. - We see it stated that some of the colored people who ask aid from the Relief Association, object to going out of the city to work in Maryland or Virginia, on the ground that their employers may designate them as "higgaba" It is a carious sort of self-respect that inspires them to stay where there is no possille employment for them, and where they rest under the stigms of being labeled paupers or thieves, rather than go to the country where ton during the war from the Southern planta-tions, and who were kept affeat for a time by the local politicians as voting material, while we had the al arious right of suffrage, and who afterwards found employment on the extensive system of public improvements carried out by the Board of Public Works. There is now no work for them to do, and no moner to psy them for work if that were supplied. They have no trades or fitness for city occupations. They are yet, as they were when they cams here fit for nothing but form work. The farms they left now remain uncutivated for want of their street, corner of Fairfax, where I am now roady laber. The farmers themselves in their need of labor are, we reitersto, likely to treat them with consideration they will not receive in the city. Here they are drones, or worse, a burden under which the tax-payer croams; everybody feels their presence an incubus; they fill our almshouses and our jails; the epithets showered upon them are snything but endoaring, and it seems inconceivable that their relf-respect should stand in the way of their changing this degraded position to the manly one of earning an honest living by their own strong bands, at the occupa-tion for which they are trained and especially ittod. - Washington Star.

MEN, WOMEN AND FURNHURE .-- We mainfain, too, that, in reality, man has no need of patronage, at my new store, No 62 King street farniture, and that overgthing he does worth doing could be done without those adjuncts. In the highest stage of civil zation men will not need either a bod, a table, a stool, or a candlestick-things which, just now to considers to be of absolute necessity, but which one people, the most refined, the most intelligent, and the most highly civiled I that has lived on this planet in historiatimes—the Japanese, to wit, have shown can be perfectly well dispensed with. Irdeed, in every age, the more refined the race, the less has it thought furniture necessary, and it might even be a-seried, without much fear of is in a state, so long as that need is felt, that can only be termed barbarous. Man proper, man in his highest condition of spiritual and physical development, is absolutely independent of furniture; -sits on his he is, sleeps on the floor, cats with his fingers from dishes made of gourd; and leaves (or, if he prefers it, of wood) exquisitely lacquered) placed on the ground; avoids the necessity of endlesticks by using lanterns, or by going to bod early and sleeping late; and writes on his writtands. All the noblest art, the most exquisite decorative design, a'l the immortal books, have con e from people or from individuals to whom "things" have been unnemals by having furniture, is not to say a hand some thing about him, but to derogate from his dignity. When we come to clothes, however, we find the case a different one. Clothes seem to go hand in hand with man's development as a social boing, and every high tide in civilization has been marked by great inventiveness, splendor, and even luxury, in dress - Clarence Cook, on "Toyas an! Toggery;" Seribner for October.

A MARRIAGE FEE. One of the ministers of a neighboring town was notified that a couple was waiting, at a point some six miles from the residence of the elergyman, to be married and that meacy for the minister was ready. He started as promptly as be was ever known to start from home and rods as rapidly as he was ever known to ride. He performe I the ceromony in his happiest style and with braming counterace awaited the fer. It was handed over day from Dr. Pugh, one of the candidates for promptly and the person taking the first opportumby to count it, found that he had received the sum of nineteen cents, mileage included .-Shenandouh Herald

Baby hows are the fashion now, but as long as mothers e minue to surse their little ones with Laudanum er other opiates, they cannot expect their Babies to look bright. If your Baby needs medicine get a good and harmless one, such as Dr. Bud's Baby Syrup. 25 cents a bottle.

Care of the Limited Express. Orders for tickets can be obtained at Steiner & Yohe's, King and Fairfax streets, and St. James' Hotel, Sixth street and Pennsylvania avenue, Washington.

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GARSTS LIGHTNING BEEF CHIPPERS. Call and get a sample of the Beef. sep 20-1w\* DAR SOLDER, BLOCK TIN and BABBIT METAL just received at 88 King st., corner of Royal-500 lbs Tinman's Solder of the quantities to suit Orders solicit

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EMORY CLOTH, EMORY PAPER and SAND PAPER, of the best quality, just received and for sale at 88 King st. J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. A FULL LINE OF FLOWER POTS and STOVE PIPERECEIVERS just received

and for sale by sep 20 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

J. C. & E. MILBURN'S. OUCUMBER FIGH LES, new, just received NEW CUCUMBER PICKLES received by to open on Saturday morning.

Sep 121 J. C. & E. MILBURN. Sep 19 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st. sep 14-3. C. M. ADAMS, 92 King st.

The Cumberland News says that the canal trade for this week starts off very briskly, ninetyone boats, with 10,200 tons of coal, having clear od in the past two days.

It is understood that work on the long neglact. el Washington monument will be resumed, so soon as the President returns from his pleasure

Messrs. Farr and Powell, candidates for the conservative nomination for the House of Delegates from Fairfax county, addressed a small

udience at Clifton last Monday night. The workingmen's party hold a meeting at Hicks' store, across the canal last night, which

was addressed by J. W. Greene and others. The autumnal equinox occurs to-morrow, and, udging by the gathering of clouds to-day, it bids fair to be a stormy one.

The Spotted Tail delegation of Sioux Indians is expected to arrive in Washington on Monday. Rev. W. C. Webb will preach this evening at :30 o'clock, in the M. E. Church.

HOW IT IS DONE,-The first object in life with the American people is to "get rich;" the second, how to regain good health. The first can be obtained by energy, honesty and saving; the second (good health) by using GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER. Should you be a despondent sufferer from any of the effects of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Indigestion, &c., such as Sick Headache, Palpitation of the Heart, Sour Stomach, Habitual Costiveness, Dizziness of the Head, Nervous Prostration, Low Spirits, &c., you need not suffer another day. Two doses of August Flower will relieve you at once Sample bottles 10 cts.; regular size 75 cts. Positively sold by all first class Druggists in the United States.

GRAPE CULTURE is fast becoming one of the leading businesses of this country, and that, together with wine making, are generally very profitable. Mr. A. Speer, of New Jersey, one of the largest producers in the East, commenced but a few years ago in a small way to make wine from currants, blackberries and other fruits. He soon turned his attention to grape raising, and planted large vineyards, from which his famous l'ort Grape Wine is made, which chemists and physicians say rival the world for its beneficial effects on weakly or aged persons.

Bed "Seola Redwein,"-We have used, seels Redwein for some time past in our families, and find it to be of wonderful efficacy in RELIEVING SICK HEADACHE. Mrs. DR. BAKER,

Fairfax Court House. E. V. Holbrook, Balltimore, Md. S. M. JACKSON, 1120 14th st., Washington. WALTER HELLEN, 501 D st., Washington.

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TEETH, if not kept cleau, soon decay. contradiction, that a people that need a great Young people, remember this. Use daily deal of furniture to be comferable and happy THURSTON'S IVORY PEARL TOOTH POWDER. It will preserve them through life. Sold by drugglets. 25c per bottle. feb 28-ly

HARD TIMES demand connomy. Practice it. Benevate your soiled Gloves with JOU-VEN'S INODORLESS KID GLOVE OLEANER. It will cleanse them thoroughly. Sold by druggists. 25 cents per bottle.

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S. W. COR. KING & ST. ASAPH STS. Having removed into my new store with a large stock of STOVES of every description and an endiess variety of TINWARE and other goods kept in that line, I invite those in want of such goods to call and examine my stock, believing I can satisfy them both in price, kind and quality. My facilities for doing all kinds of work, such as repairing Fire Place Heaters, Par'or, Dining Room and Cook Stoves, also Roofing, Guttering and Spouting, have been greatly enlarged and improved, enabling me to do such work at the

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THE ENCAMPMENTS OF THE I, O. O. F. A of Washington are issuing orders for tickets to Baltimere and return, via B. & P. R. R., at \$1.00; children from six to twolve years 80 cts. Tickets good till September 25th on all trains,

HORSE SHOEING.
TO THE PUBLIC. The undersigned having commenced the business of HORSE SHOEING at Mr. John Summers' Carriage Shop, he asks a share of the pub lie patronago. A trial is all he asks, being conlident of giving satisfaction.
WILLIAM HEAD.

A GRICULTURAL FAIR.

sep 19

meet the committee there on the 21th instant, at 10 o'clock a. m.

MRS. WM. BAKER will accommodate four persons with a comfortable home (ladies or gentlemen) at her residence, 1( ) Duke stree. Ladies from the country will be received by the week or month upon application. sep 13-2w 100 BBLS MONTICELLO EXTRA FLOUR, very choice, in store and

for sale by WASHINGTON & BRO. aug 17-1m DALTIMORE PEARL HOMINY AND of my best efforts in behalf of your interests.

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two tracts adjoin.

AUCTION SALES.

the other containing 79 acres, which was also derived from said estate of Presley Barker. The

These two tracts of land are situate in the

county of Fairfax, near Burke's station, Virginia Midland R. R., and are very valuable, being well wooded and watered. They will be

sold separately or together, as the purchasers

may desire.
Terms of Sale: Ten per cent of the purchase

money to be paid in cash, and the residue in

three equal instalments at one, two and three

years, with interest from the day of sale; the

purchaser to give bond, with good personal so-

Washington, D. C., September 18.

#### AUCTION SALES.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF FAIRFAX

LAND—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit
Court of Fairfax county, Va., rendered at its
June term. 1877, in the suit of John Johns, ir.,
executor, &c., vs. U.W. Barker, &c., the undersigned will sell by public auction, on MONDAY,
the 15th day of October, 1877, (County Court
day) in front of the Court House of said county,
between the hours of 12 m. and 2 p. m. of that
day, all of those TWO TRACTS OF LAND
belonging to the said U.W. Barker, one containing 312 acres, known as lot No. 3 in the division of the late Presley Barker's estate, and
the other containing 79 acres, which was also By Green & Wise,

[Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of two decrees—one of the Circuit Court for the city of Alexandria, Va., and one of the Corporation Court for said city—the undersigned is authorized to soll by public auction or at private sale, the following property, to wit: A LOT OF GROUND, situated on the west side of Royal street, between King and Prince, beginning 94 feet to the northward of Prince st., at the north line of an alley 6 feet wide; thence northwardly parallel to Royal street and binding thereon 19 feet 5 inches; thence westwardly parallel to Prince street 105 feet 6 inches to Harlow's line; also the LOT adjoining on the north, beginning 113 feet 5 inches to the northward of Prince street; thence northwardly parallel to Royal stroot and binding there in 19 feet 44 inches to an alloy 4 feet wide and 40 feet deep, and running back 105 feet 6 inches to Harlow's

The above lots will be offered for sale by publie auction on WEDNESDAY, the 17th day of October, 1877, at 12 o'clock re., in front of the entrance to the Court room, on Fairfax street, if not sold privately before that time.

Terms of Sale: One tenth of the purchase

money in hand on the day of sale, and the residue in three equal instalments at 6, 12 and 18 months, with interest from the day of sale; the bonds of the purchaser to be given, with security, and the title to be retained until the pur-

class money is fully paid.
W. ARTHUR TAYLOR, Comm'r. of Sale. VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE-By virtue of the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, rendered at the Juneterm, 1872 in the suit of W. H. Gooding, assignee, vs. J. H. Barnes, &c., the undersigned, commissioners of sale, will, on MONDAY, the 15th day of Octo-ber, 1877, (Court day) sell to the highest bidder, at 12 o'clock m., that CERTAIN TRACT OF LAND whoreon James Fox recently resided This land lies about four miles northwest of Fairfax Court House, and near Fox's mill; is

desiring to purchase are referred to Mr. Richard Johnson, who resides near the premises. Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will pay the costs and expenses of sale; the residue in three equal annual payments, to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the netes of the purchaser, with good personal se-curity, and retention of title until the last payment is made. Conveyancing at the cost of the

well wooded and watered, of good soil and sus-

ceptible of a high state of cultivation. Persons

THOMAS R. LOVE, THOMAS MOORE, Fairfax C. H., sep 15-wts Coms. of Sala.

OMMISSIONER'S SALE-By virtue of decrees of the Corporation Court for the c ty of Alexandria, Va., rendered at its September term, 1877, in the chancery causes of John Saunders vs. Emanuel Francis and wife et als. and John Saunders vs. Wm. D. Edson et als., pending therein, the subscriber as commissioner of sale under the said decrees, will offer for sale by public auction, on SATURDAY, the 29th day of September, 1877, at 12 m., in front of the Ma ket Building, on Royal street, in the city of

Alexandria, Va., the following described property, to wit: 1. A LOT OF GROUND, with a FRAME TENEMENT thereon, situated on the east side of St. Asaph, between Wolfe and Duke streets. in the said city of Alexandria, in front 20 feet 7 inches, and in depth 100 feet.

2. A LOT OF GROUND, with a BRICK TENEMENT thereon, situated on the west side of Fairfax, between Wolfe and Wilkes streets, in the said city of Alexandria, in front 20 feet, and in depth 100 feet, more or less, to Webster's

TWO WELL SECURED RENT CHARGES, one for \$18 and one for \$17, both payable annually. Terms of Sale: One third of the purchase money in cash, and the residue in two equal payments at six and twelve menths from the day of sale, with interest; the deferred payments

fitle to the property until they are paid.
ALBERT STUART,

to be regured by the notes of the purchasers,

with approved security, and the retention of the

RUSTRE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE—By virtue of two deeds of trust from Jonath in D. Crocker and wife, the first deted the 27th day of January, 1876, recorded amongst the land records of Fairfax county, liber T. No. 4, folio 212; the other dated the 13th day of December, 1876, recorded in liber U. No. 4, folio 293, for the purposes in said deeds of trust mentioned, I shall expose to sale by public auction, at Fairfax Court House, on MONDAY, the 15th day of October, 1877, that being Court dry, the TRACT OF LAND in said deeds described, now occupied by said Crocker, containing 133 acres, more or less. Said tract of land adjoins the farms of Albert Peacock and others; is about 12 miles above Langley, on the county road leading to Lewinsville, and is well situated for a dairy or market farm. The buildings consist of a comfortable

FRAME DWELLING and out-buildings. Terms of Sale: One third of the purchase money to be paid in hand on the day of sale; the residue to be paid in six and twelve months. with interest from the day of sale, and with personal security; the title to be retained until the deferred payments are made. Poisession to be given on the 1st day of January next. The above sale will be made subject to the fol-

lowing deeds of trust: One in favor of Albert which deeds are recorded amongst the land records of Fairfax county. Sale to take place between 12 and 2 o'clock. WM. W. KIRBY, Trustee.

Fairfax county, sep 14-td

### CANDIDATES.

FOR THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES-To the Voters of Alexandria city and county: I announce myself as an independent cardidate for election to the House of Delegates for the ensuing term. If elected, I promise the devotion

J. R. PUGH is a candidate for the HOUSE OF DELEGATES from Fairfax county and will be supported by MANY VOTERS. KID GLOVES, All nur

"All numbers and colors,

curity, for the deferred payments. Title to be retained until the purchase money is fully paid, with leave to the purchaser to anticipate his H. O. CLAUGHTON, Comm'rs. P. B. STILLSON,

M. H. WELLS, Fairfax C. H., sop 14-wtd By Green & Wise, (Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.)
RUSTEES' SALE OF PROPERTY IN A ROSSLYN, ALEXANDRIA CO., VA.-By virtuo of a deed of trust, dated August 1st, 1876, and recorded in liber C. No. 4, folio 218, of

the land records for Alexandria county, Va, and by direction of the parties secured by said deed of trust, we will sell, in front of the premises, on WEDNESDAY, Sept. 19, at 5 o'clock, all of LOT numbered one (1) in square numbered one (1) as laid down on the plat of the town of Rosslyn, made by Brewer & Wilson, and recorded in the land records of Alexandria county, Virginia together with all the IMPROVE-MENTS and appurtenances to the same be-

longing. Terms: The amount necessary to defray the expenses of the execution of this trust and to pay the debt secured by said deed of trust, viz: \$2000 and interest thereon from August 1st, 1876, at 6 per centum per annum, to be paid in cash; terms as regards balance of purchase money will be stated at the sale. Deposit of \$100 at time of sale. Conveyancing at purchaser's cost. If terms of sale are not complied with within five days from day of sale, the property will be resold at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser after five days' notice in the Evening Star newspaper, of Washington, D. C, and the Ga-

zette, of Alexandria, Va. JOHN F. HANNA, JAMES M. JOHNSTON, Trustoes. Duncanson Bros., Salesmon. Alexandria county, sep 8-eots

### MERCHANT TAILORS.

#### WILLIAM MURRAY, Merchant Tailor NO. 123 KING ST., ALEXANDRIA,

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